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Date: October 6, 2004

Examiner: Aaron C. Perez-Daple

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Sir:

This is a

☒ Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR §1.114 (prosecution of the application is closed in the sense of 37 CFR §1.114(b));

☐ Divisional Continuation Application (parent not abandoned) under 37 CFR §1.53(b);

of pending application Serial No. 10/073,193, filed February 13, 2002 for
[Title as filed]: PROGRAMMING STATION GENERATING A PROGRAM IN SINGLE
LANGUAGE AND AUTOMATION EQUIPMENT USING SUCH A PROGRAM

[Amended Title]: same

by [Inventors]: Pascal NICOLLE; Christian TUCCINARDI and Bruno BORIES

1. ☐ A copy of the prior application is attached. This copy comprises a true copy of the prior application as filed (specification, claims, drawings, declaration). No amendments referred to in the declaration (if any) filed to complete the prior application introduced new matter therein.
2. ☐ Abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application.

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790.00 OP

3. [x] The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS REMAINING IN AN APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY
OF ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT OR AMENDMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 NOTED BELOW

Basic Fee
\$790.00

Total claims	13	-20 =	0	x \$18.00 (* 9.00) =	
Independent claims	2	- 3 =	0	x \$86.00 (*43.00) =	
Total Filing Fee.....				=	\$790.00

4. [x] A check in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed (CK# 18059).
THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY OTHER FEES
WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT
NO. 160331.

5. [x] Cancel in this application claims 2, 3 and 12 of the prior
application before calculating the filing fee. At least one
independent claim is retained for filing purposes.

6. [] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the
sentence:

--This is a [] Continuation [] Division of application Serial No.
___ filed ___, , which in turn is a national stage entry of
International Application No. filed designating the U.S., which
claims the benefit of Application No. filed .--

7. [x] Please enter in the present application the Amendment Under 37 CFR
§1.116 with any attachments filed on July 30, 2004 in this
application which was not entered therein.

8. [x] Priority of foreign application(s) No. 01.02302, filed February 19,
2001; in France is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

[x] The certified copy was filed in application No. 10/073,193 on
February 13, 2002.

[] A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is
filed herewith.

9. [x] The application is assigned of record to SCHNEIDER AUTOMATION
Recorded at Reel 012587, Frame 0382.

10. [x] The power of attorney in the prior application is to Roger W. Parkhurst, Registration No. 25,177 and Charles A. Wendel, Registration No. 24,453:

[x] a. The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.

[] b. Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.

[x] c. Address all future communications to

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11. [] An Application Data Sheet is enclosed herewith.

12. [] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed herewith.

13. [] An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed herewith.

14. [x] This application is not entitled to Small Entity Status.

15. [x] A Petition for Two Month Extension of Time is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

PARKHURST & WENDEL, L.L.P.

PLEASE ACCEPT THIS AS
AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT
OR CREDIT FEES TO
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